

ADMITS HE SENT FATAL BOMBS

Klotz, Dying from Explosion
of One, Said to Have
Confessed

SENT ROSALSKY
ONE ALSO

Judge Escaped; but Women
Were Killed in Other
Two Cases

New York, March 31.—Harry J. Klotz, the city clerk injured recently by the explosion of a bomb which he was building, confessed on the police, that he had constructed and mailed the two bombs which resulted in the death of Grace Taylor last year and Mrs. Madeline Herrera a few months ago, also the bomb which exploded last March in the library of Judge Otto Rosalsky.

A few minutes later Klotz died. Klotz was sinking rapidly when he made his confession. He had sent for the police, and Capt. Price of the detective bureau, accompanied by two assistants and a stenographer, hurried to the bedside. The confession was made direct to Capt. Price. It was explicit as to all but the Herrera bomb, which to near the last, he denied having sent. Klotz confessed, according to the police, that he had sent the bomb to Judge Rosalsky because he didn't like him. The agitation at the time, which was during the effort of Folke E. Brandt to get his release from prison, influenced him, Klotz admitted in reply to a question. Judge Rosalsky had sentenced Brandt to 30 years in Dannemora for a robbery in the home of Mortimer L. Schiff, where Brandt had been a valet. Brandt was recently released.

Asked why he had sent the Grace Taylor bomb, he replied: "I don't know why; that's all."

Later he admitted that it was on account of a quarrel he had had with her.

The police had collected evidence which led them to believe Klotz was engaged in having been forbidden Mrs. Taylor's home after one of the young women who lived with her had rejected his attentions.

When pressed about the Herrera bomb, after first denying he had sent it, Klotz, the police statement says, in reply to repeated questions, finally nodded his head affirmatively and added he had sent the bomb for experimental purposes. He was growing very weak as this stage was reached and shortly afterward died without explaining in what the experiment consisted.

Almost the last words he gasped before he died:

"Please save my father and family all the humiliation you can."

Klotz seems to have had a mania for collecting firearms and experimenting with explosives. His room at his home was a veritable arsenal, and quantities of gunpowder and chemicals for making explosive combinations were found there when detectives searched it after he was injured recently by a bomb he was making. He denied all connection with the three explosions which have been police mysteries. Evidence was found which, in the opinion of the police, connected him closely with the bomb outrages, one of the most important clues being a diary in which he had made cryptic entries of a similar character on the date of each of the three explosions.

Long before Klotz' appearance in the bomb cases, the mystery was supposed

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to have been solved when John Paul Farrell, junior of the house in which Mrs. Herrera lived, was arrested and made what the police declared was a complete confession. The janitor's statement, according to the detectives, went into great detail. He was declared among other things to have made elaborate diagrams showing how he had constructed the bombs. Later Farrell repudiated his confession, declaring that what were reported to have been admissions were forced from him.

An attorney for the Klotz family last night made a statement, declaring the police account of the dying man's "confession" was "preposterous."

He said the only persons in the room when Klotz' statement was made were two police officials.

WILSON SEES

DRILL TOURNEY

The President Takes Half-Holiday and Gets First Salute of 21 Guns.

Washington, March 31.—President Wilson took a half-holiday Saturday. Incidentally he received his first official general salute since he has been president of the United States. Twenty-one guns were fired by a battery at Fort Myer, Virginia, three miles from Washington, where the president spent his half-holiday witnessing the conclusion of the three days' drill tournament for the benefit of the Army Y. M. C. A.

The president, who was prevented from attending on the opening day, occupied a box in the center of the riding hall, from which he viewed each event with the greatest interest and admiration. He was accompanied by Lieut. Edward St. J. Greble, U. S. A. With him was Miss Margaret Wilson, his eldest daughter.

The presidential party was met at the entrance of the riding hall by Col. Joseph Gerrard, Fifteenth cavalry, the post commander.

The program included eight features: dividing the cavalry and artillery, each to the music of the Fifteenth cavalry band.

ATHOL FIRE LOSS \$50,000.

Millers River National Bank Block, Finest in Town, Destroyed.

Athol, Mass., March 31.—The worst fire in this town in years broke out early Saturday in the Millers River National bank block and did damage estimated at \$50,000. The third and top floor, occupied by the Old Fellows, was entirely burned out and the roof on the main part of the building was destroyed. The entire structure was soaked with water from 24 streams.

The roof at the rear of the building fell when the fire was at its height, carrying with it two firemen, James Sawyer and Ira Dwyer. They fell 15 feet, but were saved from serious injury by clinging to a line of hose.

The building is considered the finest in this town and it is believed that the first estimate of the loss may be exceeded later. The building is owned by the Millers River National bank.

The blaze started on the top floor near a stove in the kitchen used by the Old Fellows. A banquet was held there last night.

HELP ST. JOHNSBURY ACADEMY.

Boston Alumni Give Support to the Vermont School.

Traveling 150 miles to get twenty-one, and enduring discomforts in railroad cars for nearly twenty-four hours, proved the interest of Principal Martin G. Benedict and his fellow teachers in the annual reunion of the St. Johnsbury academy alumni association of Boston and vicinity. They were the heroes of the evening at the Twentieth Century club in Boston Friday evening, where about 150 graduates heard their thrilling experiences at the reception and after the dinner. Many of the former pupils and teachers were present, and the reception was one of the features of the evening.

President Edwin A. Bayley, who has been at the head of the association for two years, presided and acted as toastmaster. Charles E. Putney, one of the former principals of the academy, was to have been the guest of honor, but a serious illness and the necessity of going to a hospital at Burlington for a surgical operation made it impossible for him to attend. Many tributes to him were paid by the speakers, and a telegram of sympathy and good wishes was sent.

Dr. Benedict, after telling of his experiences in the Vermont freshets, described the present condition of St. Johnsbury academy, which has broadened its work and is now more important in educational matters in Vermont than ever. As the result of his remarks, the alumni at the dinner started a subscription to furnish the academy with a new programme clock to take the place of the old bell now rung by a student. Money also will be given to aid the new domestic science service of the school.

Other speakers were George W. Bishop, of the railroad commission, Jay B. Benton, Robert Lincoln O'Brien, Harlan A. Woods, H. Philip Patey and Dwight C. Drew.

Between the speeches, Miss Ella Brownell, director of music at the school, sang several solos, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Harlan N. Wood.

The following named officers were elected for 1913-14: Matthew B. Jones, '90, president; F. D. Blake, '79, vice president; Miss M. Pansy Smith, '99, secretary-treasurer; A. B. Hurlbert, '91, Albert Ricker, '97, and Mrs. E. Burke Johnson, '98, members of the executive committee.

The committee in charge of the reunion comprised: Edwin A. Bayley, Miss M. Pansy Smith, Miss Addie R. Crossman, Mrs. Helen Eastman Beard, G. H. Frost and J. B. Benton.

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Wants U. S. to Stop Shipping Arms to Rebels.

Mexico City, March 31.—The Mexican government has made a formal protest to the American government against the shipping of arms and ammunition from the states across the border to the rebels, requesting greater vigilance in guarding the frontier.

Mexicans claim much war material, including many machine guns, have gone across the frontier and are in the hands of the rebels.

Residents at the capital are nervous over rumors of friction between President Huerta and General Felix Diaz, and of plots and intrigues, even to the fixing of dates for a new battle in the streets of the capital.

Mexico and Diaz deny friction.

MIL MONEY FOR CHINA?

Standard Oil Company Said
to Have Offered \$35,-
000,000

ASKS A LONG
TERM CONCESSION

And Would Secure a Monopoly in Trading with China

London, March 31.—The Times Saturday printed a letter which it says was received by a London business house from its Peking correspondent, in which it is stated that the Standard Oil company offered China a loan of \$35,000,000 gold, in return for the sole right to the exploitation of petroleum in China for a term of years.

FOR LIVING COST COMMISSION.

Canada Roused by Increasing Price of Commodities.

Ottawa, Ont., March 31.—In presenting to Parliament Saturday a report on the high cost of living in Canada, which shows an advance last year of 6½ per cent, in the cost of the necessities of life over the year before, Minister of Finance Borden expressed his approval of the former President Taft's proposal for an international commission on the high cost of living.

Royal Tour by King George.

London, March 31.—The Standard on Saturday said that King George and Queen Mary in May will make ceremonial visits to Paris, Berlin and Vienna, to take the place of the coronation visits they had arranged for 1912, but which were postponed on account of the labor troubles.

BRANDEIS HEARS

FIREMEN'S CASE

Lawyer Suggests Saving on Coal That Would Pay Wages Demanded.

New York, March 31.—The eastern railroads closed their case and the firemen put on witnesses in rebuttal yesterday in the arbitration proceedings over the firemen's demands for increased pay and other concessions. Louis D. Brandeis, the efficiency expert of Boston, was a spectator during the day. Mr. Brandeis said the method pursued to settle the controversy was wrong.

"It would be better," he said, "to teach the firemen not to waste so much coal, to educate them to conserve their fuel. To do so would result in a saving of between \$50,000,000 and \$60,000,000 annually to the railroads of the country. Out of that amount then firemen's wages could be increased and a surplus would be left for the railroads. This way of settling the matter is wasteful, for no one can pass correctly on the masses of statistics introduced here."

Because of the death of James McRea, former president of the Pennsylvania railroad, no hearing will be held by the arbitrators to-day.

GOWN SMUGGLERS

COST U. S. MILLIONS

Eight or Nine New York Firms Are the Duty Evaders—More Arrests Expected.

Boston, March 31.—Operations of smugglers of women's gowns at this port, as a result of which three arrests already have been made, have defrauded the government of several millions of dollars in the last few years. The statement, made by a local customs official Saturday, is official confirmation of reports that a widespread conspiracy existed within the customs office.

All the firms which profited by the evasions of import duties are located in New York City, it was said. Their number is uncertain, but may be as many as eight or nine.

The investigation here and in New York will result, it is expected, in the arrest of most of the persons involved. The greater number of these are members or buyers for dressmaking firms in New York, although one or two members of the local customs staff, in addition to Terence L. Shelvin, who, with his wife, is already accused, are under suspicion. Another arrest probably will be made here soon.

The custom officials have known for a year that frauds were being perpetrated here. Some time ago an inspector, Hermann W. Kuchmeister, was placed on guard at the docks with instructions to devote his time exclusively to watching the arrivals of dressmakers and their agents for evidence of "sleeper trunk" operations. It was Kuchmeister who uncovered the actual evidence of smuggling.

The arrival here of Secretary McAdoo of the treasury, who, according to advices from Washington, is spending the week-end "in hiding" from office-seekers, was looked for Saturday.

MEXICO PROTESTS.

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JAPANESE STUDENT FELICITATES WILSON

Could Not Keep a Loud Hurrah When President Was Elected—Mrs. Wilson's Sympathizing Treatment.

Washington, March 31.—This letter from a Japanese, who was a student at the Princeton Theological seminary, while Woodrow Wilson was president of Princeton university, was received at the White House Saturday:

"Shiroishi, Miyagiken, Japan, March 4, 1913.

"Dear President and Mrs. Wilson: I have a great honor to send you my hearty congratulations for your throne of presidency on this memorable day."

"I am a graduate from Princeton Theological seminary and conferred the degree of bachelor of divinity at the commencement May, 1911. I left Princeton soon after the commencement for Japan, and now am charging a church in the district of the northeast Japan mission field. Last fall when I knew that Hon. Wilson was elected president of the United States, I could not keep a loud hurrah. How much we Princeton men were proud with the matter. In Japan there are many who were educated at Princeton (university and seminary), and they all have the same feeling."

"I wrote an applause of you in the papers and magazines at that time. Today your portraits are printed in the papers everywhere and praise your good name."

"I remember that when one evening, spring of 1911, we graduating students were entertained at the house of Dr. and Mrs. Greene, Mrs. Wilson gave me her kind salutation with a cup of coffee. I never forgot such a sympathizing treatment. I pray His Holy spirit upon you and your states. I remain cordially yours,

"Tadashige Susukul."

MILE VIA SEWER

HE FLEW PRISON

Two Other Convicts, Overcome by Foul Gas, Fail in Attempt to Escape.

Leavenworth, Kan., March 31.—Clyde Stratton, serving a five-year sentence in the federal prison at Fort Leavenworth for the robbery of the McCool, Ind., post-office, escaped yesterday by crawling a mile through the prison sewer. Two other prisoners, who made the attempt with Stratton were captured.

The captured men were overcome by sewer gas and were pulled out of the sewer unconscious. When revived they said Stratton had escaped. Stratton was also alleged to have been connected with the robbery of a Chicago diamond merchant. He is a college graduate.

OVERALL BACK IN BASEBALL

Will Follow Charley Carr's Plan in Teaching Game to Youth.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 31.—Orville Overall, who says he "won't play with the Cubs," is back in baseball. It is not as player, however, but as a teacher. Big Jeff has just announced that he is making plans to launch a baseball school in southern California to instruct aspiring youngsters in tricks of the game during the winter months and fit them for league engagements in the summer.

In a general way he is following the ideas of Charley Carr, the Kansas City manager, who will start his school in Texas next fall, but with several in mind exceptions.

Overall's school, as he plans it, will take nobody as pupils except players who have been with a team of some sort of merit, either minor league, college or high school. They must pay their own expenses to his "school," which will be at Visalia, his birthplace, and if they fail to show sufficient promise, he will send them away at their own expense. But if they reveal latent ability, he will keep them and pay all their living expenses, at the same time signing them to a contract entitling him to dispose of their services for cash in league clubs, making his profit in this way. Another difference from Carr's scheme is that Overall intends to do all the teaching himself, whereas Carr plans to hire a number of coaches.

The former Cub also is considering playing a little baseball himself beginning this summer, pitching for the Visalia team of the newly organized Los Angeles Valley league, a semi-professional organization, which it is figured he will be invincible.

ORDINARY STAMPS O. K.

May Be Used in Parcel Post Without Double Rate.

Washington, March 31.—By an order issued by Postmaster-General Burleson Saturday that section of all parcel post law providing for the collection of a double rate of postage in case ordinary postage stamps are attached to parcel post was annulled. Mr. Burleson takes the ground that users of the mails should not be forced to make amends for the negligence displayed by postmasters in not seeing that parcels bear the proper kind of stamps when they are presented for mailing.

Many letters have been received at the department complaining of the practice, and citing instances of delays in deliveries as a result of this regulation. In the future all parcel post packages with ordinary stamps attached will be delivered to the addressees without extra charge.

MAY EXPEL "EGGING" STUDENTS.

Strong Man Refused to Allow College Man to Try Strength.

Hillsdale, Mich., March 31.—Fifty students faced expulsion from Hillsdale college Saturday for participation in the "egging" of "Prof. Eric, world's champion strong man," showing at a local theatre. Warrants for their arrest have been issued.

The performer refused to accept their challenge to permit Ted Bishop, tackle of the football team, to attempt to duplicate Eric's lifting of weights labelled "2500 pounds."

INDICTMENTS IN THAW CASE.

Three Will Be Returned Against Those Alleged to Be Concerned.

New York, March 31.—It was learned Saturday that the district attorney's office that at least three indictments will be returned against those alleged to be concerned in attempts to secure Harry Thaw's release from the Matteawan asylum by means of bribery.

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IN THE FIELD OF SPORTS

Clark Griffith does not think that he can improve his catching and pitching departments of the Washington club and thinks that about all the pitching will be done by Johnson, Groom, Cashion, Hughes and Engel. The "Old Fox" could not pick out a better array of catchers than Williams, Henry and Ainsmith. The only weak spot in the team will probably be covered by Frank LaPorte, second base.

The first game of the year to receive official recognition as a no hit game was flashed over the wires throughout the country this week. Aycock of North Carolina college is the man who is accredited with this feat. The game was with Trinity college of Connecticut, North Carolina winning 10 to 1.

Judging by the strain of Hughie Jennings' lingo, the Tigers will abandon all exhibitions with minor league clubs during the spring in the future. Hughie finds that the games are not profitable and that the players are forced to lose much needed practice when rain upsets their tentative schedules. He calls these games "games of bunco" as the local management advertizes the big league club's stars and very seldom they are in condition to play.

The fight for the professional hockey championship of Canada is now on. The competing teams are the Quebecs, champions of the eastern division of Canada, and the Victorias, winners of the Pacific Coast title. The teams are battling for the honors at Victoria, B. C. In what was reported to have been the greatest game ever seen on the Pacific Coast, the Westerners triumphed over the Quebecs in the first game of the series by a score of 7 to 5.

Billy Burke, a former Boston National pitcher, is now training with the Montreal club in the South. Burke played for a brief session in the New England league before going to Montreal.

Harold Janvri, as many predicted, will be acceptable material for Stahl to carry with the Red Sox as first utility man. Janvri, who was signed by the Boston club while a schoolboy a few years ago, had all the earmarks of a big leaguer and all that was necessary for this was experience in the bushes. Janvri has showed up in better form this spring than Carlstrom, which does not depreciate the stock of the New England league graduate.

Pat Newman of Houston, a former Brownie, in a game against the St. Louis club, injured two men in a rather unique play. Newman hit a swift liner, which for the flesh of Pitcher Baumgartner's shins. The ball bounded towards First Baseman Brief, who fell into the path of Newman, running on his hit. Newman collided with Brief, rendering Brief unconscious. The odd thing of it all was that Brief held the ball and Newman was out.

Muggsy McGraw still retains his contention that Cooper will be the biggest find of the big leagues this season. The Giant leader is greatly impressed with the showing of Cooper, who will keep him on the team as a regular.

The University of Vermont baseball team have been able to crawl out onto Centennial field at Burlington for practice during the past few days. Practice ceased during the spring vacation. When college reopens the second week in April, the varsity nine will journey to New York. Here they will be engaged in a series of post-season games in the vicinity. The trip will be wound up with the Yale game.

Nap Rucker of the Brooklyn Dodgers is a rather peevish man when the name of the mighty Ty Cobb is mentioned. Cobb, who has been conducting an independent team in the South, running up against major league teams and southern minor league teams, engaged Rucker and two or three other Dodgers to assist him in one of these games. The other Dodgers beside Rucker received recompense for their services. Rucker was left penniless.

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Ind. has it that business men of that town are considering building a huge structure with glass roof, protected by a steel netting and a full sized dirt diamond for a floor as an inducement to major league teams to train there, thus making it possible to practice in the cage when raining.

Artie Hoffman is being touted as one of the best outfielders in the big tent shows this year. According to the Pittsburgh scribes, Artie has revised his old form.

Maybe Bobby Wallace will uncover another big league surprise in Pitcher Walter Leveche, a recruit, who is picked by many to be the equal of Earl Hamilton. Leveche's style is much after the fashion of Hamilton's, a free up-and-down swinger.

The Victoria Hockey club of Victoria, B. C., winner of the Pacific Coast league championship, who is battling with the Quebecs for the honor of the national professional honors of Canada, is composed mostly of players formerly associated with the National Hockey association, who jumped their contracts the first of the season to follow their fortunes in a different territory, where their recompense was greater. There are four players on the Victorias, who shifted to the West, among whom are the Patrick brothers.

Walter O'Keefe, a Burlington boy, who gained wide reputation as an infielder while attending Burlington high school and Lawrence academy of Grotton, Mass., is again covering third base for Lehigh university. Keefe held that position last season. During the past summer he was affiliated with the Bellows Falls club of the Twin State league. Great things are expected of O'Keefe at Lehigh.

Billy Pape, the American middleweight fighter, has been suspended by the French Boxing Federation until December, 1913. G. Gunther and Tom Leavy received suspension for three months each at this meeting.

The best critics of athletics claim that the success of Howard Drew, the colored Springfield sprinter, lies in his ability to get away and picking his stride immediately. Plenty of sprinters are fast in leaving their mark and break with him stride for stride. Drew maintains his lead early in the race and is thus enabled to keep in the foreground of other competitors. Drew picks his stride quicker than any other runner in the game today and when he has taken three strides he is going as fast as in the middle of the race. Drew is at present only in condition to run the 20-yard event and when he rounds into proper condition to display his true sprinter powers he is looked to to break Arthur Duffy's record of 9.3-seconds.

The rules under which professional hockey was conducted in Canada this winter met with approval throughout the Dominion. According to the code of rules adopted, the rover was dropped from the lineup, but six men taking part in the game. It is claimed that the game was made much faster and considerable of the unnecessary rough element disappeared.

Manager Birmingham of the Cleveland club says that Ivan Olsen is the best utility man in the business. Olsen will be retained to jump into any breach occurring in the Naps infield when the championship series starts.

The usefulness of Rube Waddell in minor leagues, class A ball is about ended. Joe Cantillon, manager of the Minneapolis club, announces that he is about ready to consign the former big league twirler to a smaller minor league. Waddell has apparently gained his fortune.

mer health. A few months ago his life was endangered when he had a severe attack of pneumonia.

There is a possibility of Wilbur Goode, the former Brave player, securing a permanent berth with the Chicago Cubs. One prophet has said that Johnny Evers would shift Zimmermann to shortstop, bring Tommy Leach into third and place Wilbur Goode in the Cubs' outfield.

George Moriarty of the Tigers is on agreeable terms with Manager Hughie Jennings. The Tiger manager has said that when Moriarty has ended his usefulness with the Detroit club he will find him a berth as manager of a minor league club. Hughie thinks that Moriarty will stay with the Tigers another season longer if he makes this promise.

The Harvard boat crews are making satisfactory progress this spring and when the day comes when they face off with the Yale crew in the annual regatta on the Thames river, Coach Wray is anticipating placing another cup in the Cambridge trophy room.

In the field events, the Dartmouth track team is expected to be especially strong this spring notwithstanding the loss of several of last year's star performers. The Dartmouth following is looking to Mare Wright, the American pole vaulting champion, to take first honors in that event at the intercollegiate. Whitney, the football man, who excels in weights, is showing better form than ever. He is banked on to win a place in the hammer throws. Englehorn, who was elected captain of football last fall and then resigned, is showing great improvement in the discus throw. His hurds are coming within reach of championship marks.

Hughie Jennings predicts a great season for Jean Dubuc this season. Dubuc, who has been spending the winter in his bowling parlors at Montreal, has reported for practice and is in great form.

President McAleer cannot be indicted with the charge of favoritism. The first men to be ticketed back to their former moorings are two of his own townsmen, Ainsworth and Watkins, from Youngstown, O.

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